PLEASURES AT THE ADIRONDACK RESORTS.

SETTLED WEATHER" AT LAST-GOLF TOURNA-MENTS ON THE MOUNTAIN LINKS-ENTER-

TAINMENTS AT THE VARIOUS HOTELS summer the progress of the Presidential campaign and other outside matters excited much interest ng the guests of the Adirondack hotels. This iversation, of more general interest than even golf-for there are some non-golfers-the weather, which has been superlatively freakish and forbidding. But a change seems to have come now, for in the middle of this week, after two days of "usual acather," the barometer began to rise, the gray col prophets now announce "settled weather." guests in the hotels, who had been wondering each why the others didn't go home, now all desire on into September. The houses are still rowded, but the homeward movement set in the ast of this week, and by the middle of next week t will be an exodus. The hetels, though, as a rule, will remain open through September, and are assured of a profitable patronage. The woods will be more beautiful next month than they are although the abundance of rain has them fresh and green all summer-and the days not too cool for comfort, and especially come to the North Woods in September for their mer guests remain to the very end of the season, and not a few people who have spent August at the seashore will be found up here in the mountains

Cascadeville, N. Y., Aug. 28.-The days pass happily, but all too swiftly at the Cascade, for now September is close at hand, and its advent is aldirondack resorts to end their outings and return mountain sides is the peculiar attraction of September in the North Woods, and nowhere can nat beauty be more fully enjoyed than at the Cascade, standing as it does in a narrow defile. with the heavily wooded steeps of Ausable Mountain directly in front of it and Pitch-off towering lofty here, no part of it more than the last week. People come to the Adirondacks for the outdoor life, so guests of the Cascade are abroad every fine The favorite walks are along the shady reads skirting the Upper and Lower Cascade lakes. Elseyoung people here, the evenings cannot be dull. coung people here, the evenings cannot be dull, on Monday evening a german was held, led by Miss Falmer, of Rochesier, and Mr. Newton, of New-Haven. The favors were handsome. There was an enjoyable musical the other evening those sking part being the Misses Beach, Wright, Skinger, Childs and Weston, and Messers, Rodenbeck, Newton and Heilard. Some of the guests who have vertisted lately at the Cascade, a number of them unrooking to stay into or through September, are larence H. Eagle, Mrs. L. P. Dosh, Mrs. W. M. ander, Mrs. T. D. Hooper, New-York City, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanderson, Miss Summers, East Drange, N. J. Miss Higgins, Miss Foss, Philadel-thir, Mrs. Jordan Taylor, Cincinnati, C. E. Gude-will, Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. F. Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Manson, Donald Manson, Mr. and Mrs. Wetherby and Miss Wetherby, Burling-on, Vi.

Paul Smith's, N. Y., Aug. 28.-Next week should be able to get a good room at Paul Smith's. but the great hotel is still full literally to the roof. as all this week again the attic beds have been The house will remain open until the irst week in October, and many guests will be here until the end. Golf will be played through petitions on the links for the weekly handicap cup to be presented by President Bird to the member of the St. Regis Golf Club winning it the greatest number of times will close on September 8. Colonel Archibald Rogers, his son, E. P. Rogers, footer Mome, which last week was one of the contestants in a notable series of sailing races on Louis, near Montreal, arrived here on Saturday night. She is a beautiful little boat, in perfect racing trim, with silk sails, and is so light that six men can carry her anywhere. Of the seven weekly races planned for this summer on Upper St. Regis Lake, E. L. Trudeau, jr., has won two, and Messrs. Hoy and Rogers have taken one each. The fifth race was called off on account of lack of wind, so there are three still to be sailed, and the Upper St. Regis yachtsmen confidently expect that the Mome will win all three, and with them the trophy. This has been a baseball week, two nines from Lake Placid having journeyed over here with large parties of friends. The first game was on Tuesday, when the Paul Smith's nine defeated the Grand View team, 14 to 5, although the home nine was hadly crippled by the absence of four of its best players. On Thursday the nine of the Lake Placid House played here. the score being 9 to 6 in favor of Paul Smith's. The trout season will last only a few days longer, so the fishermen are making the most of their limited time some surprising cathes of brook trout being shown. E. W. Ropes holds the record for this week, having caught on Monday in Lake clear ten or a dozen trout which weighed together fifteen pounds. The "living pictures" entertainment the other evening netted more than \$35 for the benefit of the Adrondack Cottage Sanitarium at Saranae Lake. It was a success artistically as well as financially, and its managers were warmly and deservedly congratulated upon the happy result of their labors.

Among the recent arrivals at Paul Smith's are Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Nash, Miss Nash, Miss M. B. Nesh, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cummings, Mrs. I. P. Stephens and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Mathews, Miss A. T. Park, Clarence B, Milchal, Miss C. T. Davison, Miss E. H. Davison, Mrs. Yrank B. Porter, Miss Porter, New-York City; Edward Tolman, Fittsfield, Mass.; Mrs. H. H. Moore, Lockport, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McNulty, Desmond Duone and family, Brooklyn; E. A. De Schweinitz, Washington; R. H. Flensants, G. S. Hopkins, Jr., Baltimore; Miss Grace Carew Sheldon Buffalo.

Miss E. E. Auchincloss, of New-York is a guest. the score being 9 to 6 in favor of Paul Smith's.

Schweinitt, Washinkton Hopkins, Jr., Baltimore; Miss Grace Carew Shel-don Buffalo. Miss E. El Auchineloss, of New-York, is a guest at A. G. Agnew's cottage, and Dr. C. G. Miller, of New-Rochelle, N. Y., is staying at the Glenny STEVENS HOUSE.

Lake Placid, N. Y., Aug. 28.-To say that one is in this part of August a guest at the Stevens House is not to assert that he has a room in the hotel or its annex, but merely that his name is upon its register, for the demand is still much greater than the supply, and guests are quartered in many nearby private cottages, coming to the hotel for their meals and spending the days here. Next week the stress will be relieved, but the Stevens Fouse will be well filled until October 1. when it closes its doors for the season of 1897. With the coming of fair weather on Wednesday the guests betook themselves out of doors, and since then the days have been devoted to rowing and tennis and walking-for the roads dry here with surprising rapidity after a rain-and mounat the other end of Lake Placid, is a not-to-heneglected feature of a season here, and most of the guests have made the ascent at least once this the climbing of the mountains which surround this beautiful place, as the days will be like these the climbles of the mountains which surround this beautiful place, as the days will be like these closing days of August, cool but not cold, and spienoidly exhibitating. On Thursday a large party from the Stevens House went over to Paul Smith's to see the game between the Paul Smith's and Lake Flacid House nines, returning in time for supper. Last Saturday night there was a large hop in the hotel pariors, and in the same rooms the next evening was given the usual Sunday concert, which, under the experienced direction of H. H. Chandler, is one of the most delightful features of the week. On Wednesday evening everybody played progressive euchre-almost everybody played progressive euchre-almost everybody for a few recreants to duty and blessed privilege who thought themselves philosophers chose to sit apart in the main office hall reading their newspapers and smoking.

Among the recent arrivals at the Stevens House are Mr. and Mrs. Adam Engel, Miss Teresa Snyder, Dr. John Thalberg, James H. Clark, William Halpin, New-York City; Judge James F. Sterrett and family, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Ridgay, Germantown, Penn., Miss Ida I. Saxion, Newark, N. J.; Mrs. G. G. Giyer, Miss Lillian Guyer, Chicago, H. E. Davis, Washington, R. W. Allison, New-Rochelle, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanderson, East Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanderson, East Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanderson, East Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanderson, East Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. H.

THE WEEK IN THE WOODS. Mrs. M. E. Clarendon, Hackensack, N. J.; Mr. and house, getting together the equipment for a hunting trip. THE RUISSEAUMONT.

To look at the throng of guests in the Ruisseau-mont parlors and office hall at evening-for they are widely scattered during the day-one would find hard to realize that the summer is well-pigh spent. That fact, though, cannot be denied; but it is not the same as saying that the senson is over, for the botel is to remain open during next month, and many persons are booked for arrival then in addition to the large number who will stay on here to enjoy a month which, in its way, offers fully as many delights as August or July. September will be a great golf month at the Ruisseaumont, for there will be no hot days, and the weather bids fair to be settled and pleasant. The links have been an extremely popular feature this season, and some expert golfers have been developed. There was an interesting match this week, in which four a loving cup presented by the ladies of the hotel. Every summer there are boat races on Lake Placid between guests representing the Ruisseaumont and Whiteface Inn. This season's regatta was held sented by John Kisterbock, which must be three years in succession in order to become the property of either hotel. There were several classes of entries, and the cup this year (the first) was easily captured by the representatives of the Ruisseaumont. L. J. Skelton, the artist, of Denver, gave, on Thursday and Friday, an exhibition of oil paintings from his brush, many of them being of scenes around Lake Flacid. Some of those who have lately come to the Ruisseaumont are Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Starr, W. G. Bosworth, Miss Sarah it Hagg. F. R. Lefferts, ir. Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Starr, W. G. Bosworth, Miss Sarah it Hagg. F. R. Lefferts, ir. Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Hantfen, New-York City; Mr. and Mrs. William Hill. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hantfen, Miss Bessel Hamifen, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Monks, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Cook and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Faling, Albany; Mr. and Mrs. P. S. W. Sodman and Miss Rodman, Nahant, Mass. HOTEL, AMPERSAND.

HOTEL AMPERSAND. Ampersand, N. Y., Aug. 28.-It must make the turn away desirable guests, but that is what Mr. Eaten, of the Ampersand, has been forced to month. Of course, the number of guests will soon begin to diminish, but many will be here for weeks middle of October. The pleasures of the early fall fact that the rooms can be kept comfortably in the chilly nights which may be expected, there being nearly one hundred fireplaces in the main building. The feature of chief interest here this week has been the invitation tournament Monday to Wednesday. Twenty-two men and sixteen women entered. The prizes, which First prizes, F. C. Moore and Mrs. E. E. Went-worth; second prizes, A. O. Beebe and Miss Bertha Phillips; third, J. H. Demorest and Miss Martha Strickland. The contest went on in the rain on Thesday, for the Ampersand gelfers don't mind Campersand') worked in white on his red cap, and almost all the time they are all busy chasing up balls on the links. Some of the best players, besides those afready mentioned as prize without safe Miss Helen Page, Dr. Henry B. Carpenter, F. R. Pearsail, C. S. Ransom, Mrs. T. M. P. Mills and Mr. and Mr. Warenam Whitney. In the operation of the stormament held recently there were twenty entries. The doubles were won by F. R. Pearsail and J. T. McMahon, the prizes being tobacco jars of glass with silver tops. The prize in the singles a chaing-dish, was won by McMahon, who defeated Fritz Ward in the finals, in an exciting match. Plenles are frequent nowariays, the parties rowing down the lake to pleasant spots, whethuncheon is taken. Mr. and Mrs. William Bloodgood of New-York, went the other day on a hunting trip to Little Tupper Lake. They are living there in a rough camp, and have invited a party of New-York (riends to visit them next week, by which time they expect to have one or more over The evenings here are full of enjoyment. There is duncing every night, with occasionally an entertainment like the large progressive hearts party of a few evenings age. On Wednesday night there was a concert with these participants, kiss Flocusty of the party of a few evenings age. On Wednesday night there was a concert with these participants, kiss Flocus Devention of the glassic who have arrived at the

solobst: J. T. McMahon, barjo, H. M. Feckman, also gave some clever monoiques.

Among the guests who have arrived at the Ampersand with the last few days are Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Powell, Charles H. Riehmond, Miss Florence Harriot, S. C. Harriot, George N. Gardiner, Jr., F. L. Manning, Miss Macming, Miss Agnes Manning, Miss Nicell, Denald Nhool, Mrs. William B. Furney, New-York City, Mis-Perrsall, Miss Hayes, Rivoklyny, Mrs. Oakley S. Barker, Stamford, Conn., Mrs. Daniel Stewart, Indianapolis, Mrs. Edward Parsons, New-Brighton, W. E. Van Wert, Albary; F. R. Wheeler, Mrs. William F. White, Miss White, Chicago, Mrs. Alexander Euston and family, St. Louis; H. L. Childs, Pittsburg; R. W. Mackintosh, Elizabeth, N. J.; F. K. Ward, Rochester, Mrs. Jerome Green, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Green, Utlea; Miss Martha Hodsdon and Miss Louise Hodsdon, Brooklyn.

THE ALGONQUIN.

Y., Aug. 28.- The problem confronthas been not how to get guests, but where to pur the host of them who have offered, and the Algon quin has had its full share of this not altogether disagreeable embarrassment, and still experience disagreeable embarrassment, and still experiences it, for hotel and cottages and tents are full, and all the rooms on the upper floors of the boathouse are eccupied. In one way the latter rooms are perhaps the most desirable of all, for they are right over the water, the only drawback being that to get breakfast and the other meals a short climb is breakfast and the other meals a short climb is necessary, for the Algonquin would not be famous for its view if it were not on a bluff rising many feet above the level of the lake. The Algonquin will not close until about October 1, and the outlook is favorable for a well-filled house through next month. The steam launch which recently be gan to make regular trips twice a day around the lake, starting from the Algonquin beathouse, is

gan to make regular trips twice a day around the lake, starting from the Algonquin beathouse, is popular with the guests of the hotel, for the Lower Saranac Lake is one of the most lovely in the North Woods. Much driving is done, too, parties of guests frequently going over to Paul Smith's or Saranac Inn or one of the Lake Placid hotels for dimer. The Algonquin guests play golf on the Ampersand links, and some of them were among the contestants in the invitation tournament which was in progress on that course the first part of the present week.

Some of those who have recently registered at the Algonquin are Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Harper, Miss Amella M. Harper, Mrs. Sydney S. Harris, Miss Nathalie Harris, J. W. Ferguson, Ir., Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Romeyn, New-York City; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Shields and family, Pittsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore, Syracuse; Sylvanus P. Jermain, Toledo, Ohio: B. Radford, Yonkers, N. Y.; A. H. Ellis, Albany; Mrs. L. R. Howe, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Gunter Bissing, Baltimore; Mrs. C. H. Platt, Alben H. Platt, N.-Haven, Cone; Mr. and Mrs. William H. De Lavy, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Hency H. Collins and family, Philadelphia, Joan J. Patterson, Brooklyn; H. W. Raymond Germantown, Penn.

HOTEL, DEL MONTE.

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Saranac Lake, N. Y., Aug. 28.—August has been an extremely pleasant month for the guests of the Hotel Del Monte, and a number of them are going to stay on through September, or until the house closes, on October 15. Adding to these the bookings of guests to arrive about the first of the month, the Del Monte will have in September a patronage not very much less than it has had during this prosvery much less than it has had during this prosperous summer. The guests like to have a good time, and outing parties are frequent. A party of eighteen or twenty the other day went down the lake on an all-day plonic, and afteen of the guests journeyed to Platisburg to attend the recent bicycle tournament. There is often dancing in the evening, and the other night a good-sized audience was present in the bottle parior when the Owen family gave their entertainment of recitations and vocal and instrumental solos. These are among the recent arrivais at the Del Monte: W. J. Flynn, E. Suzarte, D. Richter and family, S. S. Prince, Dr. G. W. Shera, New-York City; J. F. Cleary, Troy, George M. Keeley, St. Louis; J. A. Hunting, Baltimore. EDGEWOOD INN

Edgewood Inn, which is nearer the lake than the village, has done a profitable business this season—so far this season, more properly, for the house will not be closed until October 15. A satis-factory number of guests through September is already assured. The Inn is not as large as some o its near neighbors, and not as continuously gay, but its guests like their accommodation and the but its guests like their accommodation and the table, and do not find that the days hang at all heavily on their hands. They go driving a good deal, and are fond of the modern game of croquet, and they are close enough to the lake to go rowing whenever they feel like it. Among the guests who have recently registered at Edgewood Inn are Herbert G. Greene, Brooklyn: George C. Lay, I. P. Gratacap, Mr. and Mrs. H. Abrahams and family, New-York City; Miss Annie Blount, Ogdensburg, N. Y. RIVERSIDE INN.

Riverside Inn is an all-the-year hotel, and the most attractive of the houses of Saranac Lake village. Its proprietor, Wallace Murray, is a skilful hotel manager and the ploneer of the hotel men in Saranac Lake. He is a man of affairs, owning and managing in addition to his hotel a gristmill, two large farms and, with one partner, the village electric light plant. As president of the village, too, Mr. Murray has been largely instrumental in effecting the macadamizing of the main street an improvement heartily welcomed by all who live in or have occasion to drive through this plac-Riverside Inn has done well this summer, but a permanent guests in winter far outnumber tho who register in the summer months. It is a covenient place just now for persons who have come up to the Adirondacks for the deer-hunting and several of these have recently been staying at this

Ausable Chasm, N. Y., Aug. 28.-The first summer of the fine new Hotel Ausable Chasm has been a prosperous one, a good many permanent guests having been registered, in addition to shifting throng of tourists in small groups and in hig excursion parties for whom the house has provided accommodation. The season will extend through September, which in Northern New-York is an exceedingly attractive month. The season has not yet begun to wane at Hotel Ausable Chasm, and this week has brought the usual number of guests and sightseers. On Thursday there came a Raymond-Whitcomb party of seventy-five. and the next day a Pennsylvania Railroad party of seventy-six arrived, one of its members being the Peruvian Minister, Dr. Egurguren. The other leading players took part, the prize being | Hotel Champlain to visit the chasm, accompanied by a party composed of Mrs. and Miss Gary, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. C. Smith, Miss Waldron, Miss B. Andrews, William Runkle, E. H. Graves and Marshall P. Wilder. One of the big parties booked for next month is the Railroad Y. M. C. A. excursion, six hundred strong, which will be here on September 6.

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Among those who have recently registered at Hotel Ausable Chasm are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Durand, J. B. Durand, Mrs. J. W. Denniston, Mrs. S. V. Martin, Chicago: Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Sias, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. John S. Sutphen, Miss Sutphen, New-York City; Mrs. George W. Helme, Helmetta, N. J.; Miss Pope, Orange, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Adams, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Nichols, Miss M. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Parks, Brooklyn; Dr. Percival E. Loder, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McQuilleu and family, Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. George E. Weich, Mrs. George M. Barker, Washington.

ADIRONDACK HOUSE.

Keene Valley, N. Y., Aug. 28.-The Adirondack House has all the guesis it can accommodate, and now that the summer is nearly over has to find places for the transient guests, who about time every season begin to visit Keene Valley in large numbers, coming "through the mountains" by stage or carriage from the resorts further west and taking the Delaware and Hudson trains or the Lake Champlain boats at Westport on their journey to their city homes. The guests of this house lead on outdoor life. Tennis is in great favor among the younger set, and croquet has become so popular that two sets are in constant use. Everybody who knows Keene Valley knows the vogue of bicycling here, and the guests of the Adirondack House form no small contingent of the army of wheelmen. There are many driving parties, too, and a favorite excursion is to the eautiful Ausable lakes, up beyond St. Hubert's, The Friday evening hops at the Adirondack House are one of the chief features of the social life of the valley, as so many of the cottagers and the guests of other hotels attend them. Last Friday night's was the largest of the season. Last Satur-day night there was given a literary entertain-ment for the lenefit of the public library, the sum of \$10 being neited.

ment for the benefit of the public hotaly, the soul of \$40 being netted.

Among the latest arrivals at the Adirondack House are the following: Mr. and Mrs. John F. Finn, San Francisco, F. H. Haviland, Mrs. Haviland, Miss M. R. Pavis, William B. Bainbridge, Charlton W. Crane, New-York: Charles W. Bridges, Brooklyn; C. C. Conway, Miss M. A. Conway, Miss S. E. Adams, Philadelphia, Robert E. Wood, Fall River, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Golding, Miss Golding, Miss M. R. Golding, Wilmigton, Dei, Mrs. N. W. Brooks, Ray Brooks, Evanston, Ill.; C. J. Fox, Mrs. Fox, Miss Fox, Los Angeles, Col.

GOLF AT RICHFIELD SPRINGS

CONTESTS FOR THE TALER AND WOOD

ment which took place on the Walontha Huks. The weather was all that cold be desired, and the number of specialors was correspondingly large. The men played for the Tailer cup. Frank ('roker of Albany. The rext morning it was played off, Mrs. Tyler winning with the exceptionally good Mrs. Tyer winning with the exceptionally good store of 23, with the same handlesp as Mr. Croket. The usual Manday afternoon reception was held at the clubbonse. W. Dewers Wood was the host, it being the custom for the different members to

substantial sum for the association. It was given under the catronage of Mrs. Robert W. Tailer. The progremme consisted of two plays, a partain-ralser by Mrs. K. B. Weatherbee and Frederic McGourkey, and the one-act play "Chums," which has been produced once only in this counthe occasion. It made a great bit, being presented than some tardy

and Mrs. E. C. Anderson. It consisted entirely of tableaus, claborate in detail, one of them, a repre-sentation of the picture "Twixt Love and Duty," requiring three houses upon the stage. Among those who appeared in them were Mrs. Jasper Lynch, Mrs. J. C. Gilbert, Hall, Mr. McGourkey, the Misses Magruder, Alts. Hall, Mr. McGourkey, the Misses Magruder, Anderson, Cobb. Levia, Bache, Minor, Gasquet, Baxter, Morrill, Tuller, Robb. Cunningham and Mess and Edward Robinson, Walter Morrill, Harry Morrill, Clarence Dunning and John Kelly.

Mrs. Jasper Lynch and Mrs. Benjamin Cart wright arranged a supper and candy sale for the benefit of the Universalist church on Friday evening. It took place in the Oriental tent in the Spring House Park and was liberally patronized. A full-dress hop was given at the Earlington on Tuesday night for the young people of that house.

in the pariors at which Mrs. Barelay Dunham, soprano; Miss Florence L. Williams, reader; Pur-don Robinson, barytone, and the Park sisters were heard and gave great pleasure to a large audi-The guests of the Kendallwood derived much

The guests of the Kendaliwood derived much pleasure from a progressive eachre party which was held on Monday evening. Each of the thirty sax players had courtibuted a prize package, and at the close of the game Williams Anders, whose score was the highest, was blindfolded and chose at random from the packages, which were sus-pended from a cord scross the partor. Each of the others players then took his ourn in order of merit.

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The season promises well for September. The boarding-houses are literally filled, and most of them lodging guests out, and the fall engagements are better than for years before. The hunting which will then be at its height, will attract and hold many of the gayer set, and plans are already being made for an elaborate coaching parade to be held the second week in the month. Another golf tournament will soon be held, when the Proctor cup will be played for, and which promises to be even more interesting to sperismen than the recent one.

HOT SPRINGS' GROWING POPULARITY. Hot Springs, Va., Aug 28 (Special).-Hot Springs is yearly growing in favor as a summer resert, and visitors who enjoy the grandest scenery in the world, as well as rest and outing, are here in increased numbers this summer. The golf links and tennis courts are crowded all day. A german was given on Friday night at the Casino, and was largely attended.

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Among prominent New-York people registered at the Homestead for the last week are Mr. and Mrs. C. Volney King, Daniel R. Kendall, Mrs. W. F. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Nutting, John O. Williams, T. J. Hart, Dr. Valentine Mott and Mrs. Mott, Edward S. Stokes and T. H. Gassett.

LIVELY TIMES AT WEST POINT.

West Point, August 28 (Special).—Never was a liveller week seen at West Point. The post is

crowded with visitors, and the daily excursions from different cities fill the place as it was nevfilled before. There is not room enough in the large Academic Building to accommodate those who attend the hops. At Highland Falls the hotels and boarding-houses are well filled. Serenades are given in front of camp on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The cadets break camp to-day, and tonight the color-line entertainment will be given in Grant Hall. The furlough men are also scheduled

to arrive at noon.

Colonel Ernst has been ill in the last week.

Colonel Heln was acting superinterdent. Adjutant Colonel Heln was acting superinterdent. Adjutant and Mrs. Wilder arrived at the post on Thursday, after a two months' sojourn abroad. Professor and Mrs. Edgerton have again taken up their quarters Mrs. Edgerton have again taken up their quarters at the post. Colonel and Mrs. Bass arrived yesterday from Bar Harbor, where they had spent the summer. Colonel and Mrs. Beyer have also returned from Bar Harbor. Colonel and Mrs. Larned are back from the northern part of the State. Colonel and Mrs. Davis are again at their quarters.

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Captain and Mrs. Bruff arrived from Annapolis yesterday. Captain and Mrs. Gordon are back in their quarters overlooking the Hudson. Colonel and Mrs. Tilman returned from Long Island yesterday. Nearly a score of new officers reported to Colonel Hein, acting superintendent, during the week. Among them were Licutenants Castle, Hoff, Bugge, Landers and Pence.

The furlough hop will be given on Monday night, Among the latest arrivals at Craney's are Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waitnwright, Mrs. J. W. Motley, Mrs. J. M. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kerwin and Miss Kerwin, all of New-York, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Siew, art Enston, Mrs. J. R. Venng and Miss Young, of Philadelphia, Miss C. Adams, of Washington, General C. H. Carlton and Miss Carlton.

ATLANTIC CITY IMPROVEMENTS.

PROPOSED ADDITIONS TO SEVERAL HOTELS-THE WEEK'S ENTERTAINMENTS.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 28 (Special).-The pres ent season has clearly shown that greater hotel accommodations are necessary here, and to fill this want a number of improvements are already being planned. The Hotel Luray is to be beautified and enlarged by the addition of a commodious wing. When the improvement is completed the will have a frontage of 225 feet on Kentucky-ave. and will contain 200 bedrooms. Charles R. Myers, owner of the Hotel Rudolf, is planning a large addition to that house which will make it one of the largest hotels on the Atlantic Coast. The latest announcement is that Mrs. Mary Wootton is to erect a handsome one-hundred-room house on a plot of ground one hundred feet square, opposite the Hotel St. Charles. The new hotel will have frontage in both St. Charles Place and Delaware-ave., and will command a fine view of the ocean. will cost between \$75,000 and \$100,000, and will be thoroughly modern in every respect. In addition to these enterprises there are rumors of a number of other improvements that have not yet taken

An annual affair that always attracts mor a passing interest is the colored baby show on the Ocean Pler, and the one given Thursday morning was no exception to the rule. Black cherubs of every description were on exhibition and they were viewed with mingled pleasure and amusement by a large gathering

A race planned several weeks ago between the boats of the Longport and the Absequan Yacht clubs came off Monday afternoon in the thorough fare near Longport. Three of the Absequan boats won the first three places. The first to cover the twelve-mile course was ex-Commodore Harry Turner in the Imp. The Iris, Captain John Risley, and third places respectively. The course was a triangular one, from the Longport Club house to Atlantic City and back to the starting point, and

retain the prestige they have had since their first inception. The one given Wednesday evening was a brilliant and fashionable affair. Among those Knorr, Mrs. Gibson, J. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Coggeshall, Miss Calles, Miss Toomey, John Keller Page, Miss Hall, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sellers and

Coggeshall, Miss Calles, Miss Tooliney, John Kasar, Page, Miss Hall, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Seliers and Mrs. Simon Seyfert.

The spacious pavilion of the Seaside House presented an animated scene Wednesday night. One of the regular weekly hops was in progress, and many couples thoroughly enjoyed the evening as they glided over the fine dancing floor. Among those present were Miss Allman, Miss Wolf, Miss May Jump, Miss Ida McCracken, Miss Zadle Thomas and the Misses Laura, Augusta, Margaret and Helen Chandler.

A most enjoyable and interesting euchre partywas given at the Hotel Irvington the same evening. The game held the interest of the players from start to finish. The successful contestants were Miss Julia Robertson, Mrs. George W. Kreamer, Mrs. H. J. Heldems, Richard Smith, Edwin N. Kreamer and George W. Kreamer. The regular weekly enchine at the Westminster the same evening was a lively and pleasant affair. At the close of the game the prizes were awarded to Miss Sophia Ferris, Miss M. Beverlin, Mrs. S. Cahill, Miss Haradley, Miss Harte, Miss Mallon, Miss A. Heverlin, E. Basze, Miss H. Haggerty, Mrs. Bell, M. J. Haggerty, Mrs. Annie Bryan, W. J. Crosson and E. F. Harte.

United States Sepator W. J. Sewell arrived here Wednesday evening in his special car on the Pennsylvania Raliroad. He registered at Haddon Hall, where he will remain for a few days for rest and recreation.

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J. Fedigan, O. S. A., celebrated mass at St.
Nicholas Church last Sunday. The church was so
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rowded that the doors and to as service began.

David Caruth, brother of Congressman Asher Caruth, of Missouri, who has been ill for some time and whose life was despaired of a short time ago, is slowly improving at the Hotel Traymore, under the influence of the sea air and the careful ministrations of his family physician, Dr. Ware. Congressman Caruth, who came here with his brother, left this city last week.

DOINGS AT CATSKILL RESORTS.

MANY ARRIVALS AND FEW DEPARTURES HOW

Cat kill, N. Y., Aug. 25 (Special) - The favorable weather continues, with mild air and bright skies most of the time; a large list of arrivals was recorded to-day, and the departures will not fairly begin until next week.

Hotel Kanterskill will not close

ry, and which Daniel Frohman kindly loaned for week in September, which will doubtless be earlier than some tardy visitors would like. The manager, by Mrs. Blakely Hall, Miss Margaret Stirling and Mr. Parke, says that, while his August season is Ekely to fall short of last year's, the July season Another entertainment for charity was given on was for ahead, which is unusual. George Hard-Thursday night under the patronage of Mrs. Robert ing. the proprietor, will spend a month on his V. Tailer, Mrs. Ames Morrill, Mrs. Blakely Hall Palenville farm after the hotel closes, to get the benefit of autumn air in the mountains.

A pleasant way to stroll from the Kaaterskill to the old Mountain House is to walk down by the short path and lake road to the lake, row across its length, then walk up the road to the house and return by the same route. Ninety minutes or two

hours will be required.

Bishop Satteries, of Washington, has just arrived at his Twilight Park cottage with his family for three weeks. Tristram Coffin, a retired Poughkeepsie lawyer.

ecently arrived at the Kanterskill with Mrs. Hudson for a brief stay. They will not visit their Adirondack camp this season.

Among the Elka Park cottagers are Sheriff Tamsen, president of the club; John F. Rolffes

W. Fink, F. Ehrman, Adolph Hanze, William Esser, Jacob Hasslacher, J. H. genburg, Charles Zoller, Pauline Gabier, of New-York; August Kurth, Ferdinand Wesel, of Brooklyn, F. M. Keller, Bay Ridge; C. Heltemeyer, O. A. Lehman, Hoboken; Mrs. Pauline Keppler, In-Among Brooklyn people in the range are Bernard

York and family, Teresa Miley, Mrs. James Lyons and daughter, at the O'Hara House, Lexington; John Beet, at Cornwallville; Mrs. M. C. Clements and daughter, at Maple Lawn, Cairo; S. F. Roths-child and wife, Kaaterskill; Norman A. Robertson and William A. Finch, at Stamford; the Misses Anna and Emma Doyle, at Cairo; John Mayo and wife and Miss Lillian E. Bennett, at Hunter. Mr. Rusk, manager of the Loxhurst, Haines Falls, is recovering from his illness.

The Margaretvills fair this week was a notable event in that section of the range, and the Ackerley liouse there was overrun with guests. The regu-lar Greene County fair at Cairo was also largely The recent euclire party of Mrs. William Packer attended.

at Churchill Hall was very enjoyable. Judge Mertin was among the prize winners. The Simp-son Terrace hop was also greatly enjoyed. Florson Terrace hop was also greatly enjoyed. Florence Stevens did the butterfly dance and Kitty Tobyn the Highland fling. The Stamford season is still at its height, and there is much gayety there. Among the prize winners at the heart party at Westholm cottage were Miss Grace Conover. Miss Paige and Messrs. Chapman and Renville. The recent entertainment at the Catskill Moun-tain House in aid of The Tribune Fresh Air Fund

tain House in aid of The Tribune Fresh Air Fund netted about 468.

Dr. Ryder is an energetic promoter of social affairs at the Hotel Ulster. The progressive euchreprizes there recently went to Mrs. McKee, Mrs. Emory J. Brodie and Ward Follett.

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Life at the New Grand continues full of social
affairs of interest. The pool tournament was very closely contested, among the winners being Dr. Schley Milton Frank, Joseph Mendal, Mr. Block and Mr. Vetth. Auction parties, with Jerome Siegel and Mr. Setzer as auctioneers, were humorous features. The New Grand will remain open until late in September with reduced rates to autumn visitors.

A recent concert of students from the Royal Conservatory of Music, Stockholm, at the Pros-pect Park Hotel is highly spoken of. Grant House guests have been amusing them-selves with progressive eachre and bean-bag par-

The South Carolina Jubilee Singers have been entertaining visitors lately and gathering funds for the education of colored youths at the Lowery Industrial School, Maysville, S. C.
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Among Hunter visitors are Miss Jennie Eddy, of Rutland, Vt., Mrs. Van Wart, of Jersey City; Edward B. Cantine and family and Alanson Stockings of California.

Ormond Baker Middleton, of the Royal Bermuda Yacht Club, is visiting his brother at Stamford, George A. Briton and sister are guests of Mrs. Francer M. Barr. Mr. and Mrs. Wiberly, of Troy, are at Churchill Hall.

Mrs. F. H. Cutter is at the Ripley House, Hunter Miss Lottle Langler won the first prize in the bicycle race at the Stamford fair and Miss Nelle Baker the second.

The little steam yacht on Lake Wawaka, at Hallcotvelle, is receiving generous patronage.

Dr. Churchill's Honeymoon cottage, recently built in the edge of the woods overlooking Loch Helen, in Cnurchill Park, has attracted much attention this year. It is a unique specimen of architectural skill, and the interior appeals to the

aesthetic taste. Hardly a day passes without a party of summer guests visiting the place.

John McQueene and John Arnow, of New-Haven, are at Kingston. Among other visitors there are Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. William Swift. New-Haven; Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Havenor, New-York; Miss Addie Parks, Jersey City; Mrs. Lizzie Goesler, and Louis Yost, of Minneapolis.

Late arrivals include the following.

Churchill Hall-Mrs. V. Burton Hart, Mr. and Mrs. F. Warkins, Henry W. Stackhouse, R. Percy Alden, John Alden, George Alden, Mrs. Thomas Andrews, F. Van Wyck and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Power, Augustus Floyd, Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Mese, New-York; H. E. Leal, Mrs. Annie S. Jarrett, Brooklyn; Mrs. C. R. Abeel and family, Newark; Mrs. W. M. Dean and family, Short Hills, N. J.; C. O. Locke and family, Birmingham, Ala.; the Misses Frank, Cincinnati, C. B. Cuthbert and Mrs. J. P. Meikleham, Riverdale.

Hotel Kaaterskill-Mrs. J. Lynch and son, Mrs. L. H. Davis and son, Martha G. Kimball, Eleanor B. Johnson, William B. Kimball and family, New-York; C. Fernanda, M. Betista, Havana, Cuba; Jennie Marks, Jersey City; Joseph S. Peck, Liverpool; Joelah Rich, Geraid Livingstone, Waiter Sweetman, Mr. nd Mrs. B. D. Robbins, L. Y. Zimmerman, John P. Kelly, Dr. M. D. Lederman, Dr. A. Mayer, L. Goodman, of New-York; Robert H. Tid, Toronto; Mrs. W. H. Myers Miss S. Edita Kutz and John T. Kutz, Reading, Penn.

Simpson Terrace-Mrs. L. M. Doorman and daughters, Henry Betz, Edgar O. Wagner, A. J. Anthony, Brooklyn; J. F. Duncan, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. C. E. Closter, Mount Vernon, Mrs. Anson M. O'Brien, New-York; the Rev. G. A. Faull, Mrs. P. P. Hayden, Bloomfield, N. J., and J. R. Worth, Geneva.

New Grand-N. J. Perkins, Duane Taylor, Mrs. Devkins, Emma Taylor, Mrs. Mrs. Martha Potter, New-Pork, Mrs. Mar

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Perkins, Emma Taylor, Mrs. Martha Potter, NewYork: A. W. McLean, Chicago, Julius Herman, F.
Rawolle, A. F. Dubois, S. L. Dubois, the Misses
Duna, Mrs. J. D. Hood and daughter, Miss E. A.
Katis, Trenton; Miss M. A. Morris, Philadelphia;
Mrs. F. G. Eagen and Mrs. F. C. Shortland, Fort
Montgomery.

THE SARATOGA SEASON.

GOLF TOURNAMENT AND HORSE SHOW-FEAT TRES OF THE WEEK

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Aug. 28 (Special).-Every thing considered, this is the most prosperous seaon that Saratoga has enjoyed for years. The ar rivals have continued heavy throughout the week, and seldom, if ever, has this cosmopolitan abode of olly good cheer entertained a greater number of brilliant month in the Saratoga calendar. parture of the racing crowd last week left many acancies, but the places are filled by those who

The weather has at last got on its good behavior, and apparently is atoning for the almost daily showers of the previous two months. Never were improved meteorological conditions more highly appreciated by visitors than at the present time. All kinds of outdoor amusements are again under full swing.

The Saratoga Golf Club, of which Colonel E. M. Green, of Troy, is president, this week held its first annual national open tournament, which ended yesterday afternoon. Occasional showers dampmmediately northwest of the town, but the en-G. Hyde-Clark, Halsted Yates, Utica; Jasper Lynch, A. S. Devereaux, H. W. Slocum, George Hatlen, W. E. Strong, W. H. Goadley, J. G. Averill, A. E. Hedstrom, P. K. Tyng G. M. Howard, H. R. Sweny, A. J. McClure, M. H. Rochester, W. Barnes, Jr., J. N. Huyck, H. Van Rensselaer, G. W. Burr, C. F. McMurray, Ed Chiett, H. S. Ludlow, J. Clatworthy, C. H. Hyams, V. C. Thorn, J. W. Greenough and W. H. Manning. When the Manhattan Athletic Club was in its

When the Manhattan Athletic Club was in its glory in New-York City, "Jim" Robinson was a prominent figure in amateur circles. He conceived the idea of conducting an open-air horse show on the handsome grounds of the Sarafoga Racing Association, and arranged an attractive programme, covering three days and ending this afternoon. With characteristic energy he made a success of the exhibition, which undoubtedly will be given an mally hereafter. It was copied after the famous New-York horse show, and proved very attractive The jurges were Richard F. Carmen and James T. Hyde, of New-York, and Frank M. Ware, of Boston. Among the exhibitors were L. V. Bell, H. C. Earrett, J. F. Baudouine, Mrs. I. R. Benjamin, W. H. Clark, G. Kranse, Edward Kearney and G. W. King, of New-York; J. Astor, of Richebeck, W. Saulter, F. R. Bender and E. C. Davis, of Albany, H. B. Brooks and W. T. Fox, of Cohcest, J. A. Manning and J. H. Osterhout, of Troy, W. H. Dodd, of Quaker Springs; E. C. Ellis, of Schenectady; Hillside Stock Farm and King & Son, of Springhono, Ohio, J. J. Perkins, of Schuylerville, Smith Brothers, of Springfield, Ohio, Miss Edith Van Buren, of Englew off, N. J. J. E. Hodgman, A. Bernheimer, C. E. Black, William Bennett, W. P. Carpenter, A. H. Farrington, William Geason, W. H. Hanson, J. L. Henning, Mrs. D. S. Lathrop, C. W. Mitchell, W. Puckett, C. L. Pond, T. J. Quinn, Miss Maud, May Rider, S. K. Raymond, W. Vandenburgh, W. W. Worden and T. C. Wandell.

Bishop John P. Newman started early in the week for an extended trip across the continent. He will preside over Methodist Episcopal conferences at Reno, Nev.; San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal. and Pressyot, Ariz. The latter part of October he will attend a meeting of the Methodist Episcopal conferences at Reno, Nev.; San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal. and Pressyot, Ariz. The latter part of October he will attend a meeting of the Methodist Episcopal conferences at Reno, Nev.; San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal. and Pressyot, Ariz. The latter part of October he will a

W. H. Roberts acted as clerk. Another meeting will be held this evenling.

In Dr. L. E. Strong's parlors on Wednesday afternoon was held an entertainment for the benefit of the Saratoga Home for Children. Among those who took part were Mrs. James R. McKee, daughter of ex-President Harrison; Miss Oliver, of Roston; J. Townsend Fellows and Miss Henriette Cady, of New-York City, and J. Strart Ripley, of Buffalo.

The Saratoga Floral Association will next week begin decorating the Convention Hall for the floral ball, to be held there on the evening of September 7, the date of the floral fete.

WATCH HILL DIVERSIONS.

Watch Hill, R. I., Aug. 28 (Special).-The summer season of 180; is fast waning at this pleasant re-sort, and will be a matter of history in a few days. Taken as a whole, the season has been more brilliant in a social way than has any previous summer. From a financial point of view, for the hotel men and shopkeepers it has been only ordi-nary, on account of the bad weather in July. How-ever, August has brought the average up to a point where reasonable profits can be reckened.

The Larkin House will depart from its former

custom of closing on September 1, and will remain open until September 15, by request of a number of the regular guests who desire to remain two or three weeks later than heretofore.

Mrs. Joseph Bell and Miss Bell, of New-York, are

Mrs. Joseph Bell and Miss Bell, of New-York, are guests of Miss Phelps at Catlin Cottage. Mrs. James Carli, of New-York, is visiting Mrs. Frank B. Wesson at Intermere. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Devereux, of Nex-York, are stopping here for a time. Miss Knevals, daughter of Sherman W. Knevals, entertained her friends at latermere the other day. In the postponed golf match on the Misquamleur grounds, played by "Jack" Tucker, of Narragansats, and "Willie" Anderson, of the Hill, the latter

sett, and "Wille" Anderson, of the Hill, the latter was winner. J. H. Congdon is now owner of the Valentine prize golf cup, he having wen three suc cessive matches.

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Cakewalks have been the fad for two weeks, and have been encouraged by summer guests. The parade of bleychsts in fancy costumes on Thursday had an auxiliary cakewalk, which provided much amisement for speciators. The waiters at the Larkin House gave one to-night in the amusement had for the entertainment of guests, and the participants received substantial money prizes.

Miss Edith Corwin, of Hartford, Conn. Is a guest of Miss Allen at the Breakers, and Miss Wright, of Buffalo, N. Y., of Mrs. J. H. Congdon, at North Raltimore cottage, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Swanitz, of New-York, are stopping at the Hill.

William M. Greene, of Baltimore, has given a trophy goif cup to be played for annually in a woman's handleap upon the Misquamicut grounds, the winner to hold the prize for one year.

Mrs. Henry S. De Forest and Miss De Forest, of New-Haven, Conn. are guests of Mrs. Edwin Barrows at Blythebourne cottage. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stewart, of New-York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hines Strowbridge at Stronghurst.

The following are among the arrivals for the week at the hotels from New-York and vicinity. Larkin House—Miss Emily Banks. F. Victor, Mrs. R. C. Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Homas T. Reid, Miss Reid, Mrs. C. M. Harris, S. Hayward Harris, Joseph Hall, Mrs. S. M. Shotwell, John Starkweather, Paul Harrison, R. B. Atterbury, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Browning, Jr. W. B. Devereux, T. W. G. Devereux, J. M. V. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Browning, Miss Eva Wilkinson, A. G. C. Bage, William W. Justice, Jr., E. B. Morris, A. J. Moore, W. H. Jewett, D. E. Delavan and Mrs. James H. Carll.

Ocean—Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brinckerhoff, Miss R. Cowenhoven, E. H. Comstock, Mrs. Comstock, Mrs. C. Wise, Miss C. Barr and Alfred Bancroft.

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Greenwood Lake, N. J., Aug. 28 (Special).—This popular resort never was more inviting than now.

two Brooklyn boys will occur text Tuesday, the winner to compete against C. D. Roeser, of New-York, who won a race last week. Dancing and card parties are the fads of the evening, and by day the lake is covered with small craft of pleasure hunters. To-morrow will be 4 big day and the excursion trains will add increased numbers to those already on hand.

LONG BRANCH DIVERSIONS.

PLENTY OF ATTRACTIONS FOR THE LAST WEEK IN AUGUST.

Long Branch, Aug. 28 (Special).-The fourth week in August has been a lively one for sur sojourners between Elberon and Scabright. There has been no end of attractions. The tennis tournament and card parties at Monmouth Beach, golf at Norwood Park, a water carnival at Pleasure Bay and a clambake and subscription ball at Elberon have kept society folk on the go. The season, although nearly spent, shows no signs of abating when attractions planned are taken into

erick Evans, jr., is at Scabright.

Mrs. L. C. Weir, who recently returned from Europe, and Mrs. D. H. Bates entertained this

week at card parties at the Monmouth Beach Cards announcing the coming marriage of Miss

Sadle Hennessey, daughter of Captain and Mrs. John Hennessey, of Monmouth Beach, and Everett Brunt, of Seabright, have been issued. The marriage will be selemnized in the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church next Wednesday, the Rev. W. R. Welderspoon officiating.
Dr. Robert C. Myles left Monmouth Beach for

he mountains on Monday. Oliver Doud Byron, the actor, will take the prinipal part in the play "Ups and Downs of Life,"

which will be given here in the Broadway Theatre Wednesday evening, September 8. The annual parade of the Long Branch Fire De-

partment on Wednesday evening was a pleasing affair. The seven companies in line, led by the fire police, a new organization, won well-deserved applause all along the line. The celebration was kept up until midnight.
The annual picnics of St. James Church, this place, and the First Methodist Episcopal Church,

of West Long Branch, were held on Wednesday,

The former party, numbering four hundred, went to Asbury Park by trolley. The latter party made trip by stages. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Langston, of Little Rock, Ark., accompanied by their daughter, are guests

of Dr. W. H. Slocum. The Rev. Dr. Howard Wilbur Ennis, of the Secand Presbyterian Church, Washington, preached two eloquent sermons in the First Presbyterian Church last Sunday. Presecutor and Mrs. W. A. Heisley are in the

Church last Sunua;
Presecutor and Mrs. W. A. Heisley are in White Mountains.
The Rev. N. R. Robinson, of Camden, will lead the 4 o'clock services at the Children's Home, at Branchport, to-morrow afternoon.
Judge Stiner's lecture last night at the G. A. R. Hall on the "Second and Third Day's Battles of Gettysburg" was well attended. The Judge, who is at the West End Hotel, is a frequent visitor at the Ch. A. R. rooms.

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Arrangements are being perfected for a big golf tournament by the Hollywood Golf Club. It will take place early in September at the picturesque grounds bordering on Takanassee Lake.

Governor and Mrs. Griggs are frequent visitors at Monmouth Beach. They were guests over Sinday of Colonel and Mrs. William Barbour.

Mrs. G. M. Pullman and family are back from Alexandria Bay. N. Y. Miss Addle Williams, of Haverstraw, N. Y. is sejauring with Mrs. J. D. Van Note at the latter's

sojourning with Mrs. J. D. Van Note at the latter's Celtar-ave, cottage.
Captain J. S. Chapman, of New-York, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Troutman during the week, Errofessor and Mrs. F. P. Witmer, of the Lindversity of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, Penn, apent a portion of the week with the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Barr.
The Rev. Percy S. Grant, rector of the Church of the Ascention, New-York, will preach at St. Peter's Church, Galliee, to-morrow.

BLOCK ISLAND SEASON NEAR AN END.

Block Island, R. I., Aug. 28 (Special).-The season Providence will close up their regular trips to the island on that day. The Block Island will make special trips on the 12th and 13th respectively to take away all stragglers that may have be abled to remain over to enjoy the exhibitation

Cod fishing will be taken up shortly by the local fishermen, and a number of summer guests who have had success with the bluefish that have been so abundant here during the summer have po ised to return and have a try at the cod before the season for the latter closes.

Mrs. Mendes and Miss Sadle Mendes, of New-

York, are guests here. Council of New-Shoreham that there shall be a continuation of the new present terminus, one-half mile from the new harbor to the old dock. The roads of the island when brought up to a proper condition would ad-mit of some of the most charming drives conceiv-

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Among the arrivals for the week from New-York and its vicinity were the following: H. Johnson, M. F. Morse, Mrs. A. A. Hazard, A. A. Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stein, W. Livingstone Anderson, Alfred E. Hasson, James R. Sheffrein, E. M. Schwan, Mrs. W. J. Gould, W. H. Harrison, Eugene Toy, G. D. Bangs, C. A. Winter, H. S. Schwartz, Theodore Keeler, Ezra G. W. James, Mrs. G. R. Latham, Frederic W. Worley, F. C. Van Stenberg, Mrs. Van Stenberg, Julius Van Stenberg, Miss M. Y. Wheaton, Miss F. M. Randall, H. G. Wolf, George W. Harding, Mrs. F. Harding, F. M. Clements, Mr., and Mrs. G. A. Scribner, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Zabriskie, Max Roiston Morton, George E. Charles, Mr. and Mrs. W. Carson, W. S. Buchanan, J. H. V. Arnold, C. R. Agnew, George B. Agnew, E. B. Van Winkle, F. Mrs. A. F. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jefferson and E. A. Auchincloss.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS OF CAPE MAY.

Cape May, N. J., Aug. 28 (Special).-In spite of it being the last week of August, the crowds of visitors remain and enjoy themselves in the many social affairs which have happened during the week. New-Yorkers have arrived in as great a number as in any previous week, and those who are here are making life pleasant for the visitors from other making lite pleasant for the visitors from other cities. In the entertainment given for charity at Congress Hail on Thursday evening Miss Carrie Shackford, of New-York, was the leading promoter, and she also aided the giving of an excellent del-

sarte entertainment.
There were nearly a half hundred of well-gowned. New-York women at the cottagers' annual ball at the Stockton las. Saturday evening, which was about as brilliant an affair as has been held here this season. About a thousand persons attended, and gave two bands of music about all they wanted to do to keep them dancing. The social belies here are now watching with interest the football players of Old Nassau practise for their fall games. Princeton University has sent down its candidates for the 'varsity team, with Garret Cochran, the captain, to watch them.

Archbishop J. J. Keane, of Rome, late head of the

captain, to watch them.

Archbishop J. J. Keane, of Rome, late head of the Catholic University at Washington, arrived on Wednesday. He is a guest of C. Thomas, of Philadelphia, who entertains Carchinal Gibbons whenever he comes to Caje May.

Ex-United States Senator Watson C. Squire, of Washington, is a Stockton guest.

Among late arrivais from New-York are Allen A. Ryan, A. M. Kelly, Miss Sophia Sperling, Frederick Phillips.

G. A. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Tailor, W. R. Christian, P. Albert Mason, Miss Nellie Elmendorf, Miss Pauline Van Buren, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Offray, Mrs. W. D. Emery, F. E. Falconer, Miss Jennie Falconer, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Valentine, N. Blattberg, H. Asper, J. Zoldinger, the Rev. Euclid Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conover, R. W. Mitchell, W. J. Andrews, Miss Marte Mellhenny, Captain William Shackford, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Young, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Smith, W. B. Van Ingen, Edwin B. Willcox, Mrs. Evelyn H. Doty, Dr. C. M. L. Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fischer, Miss Gertruds M. Oliver, Joseph C. Duffy and Mrs. A. R. Dutton.

COACHING PARTIES AT THE WATER GAP. Delaware Water Gap, Aug. 25 (Special) -- The high-water mark is reached at the hotels here, and the usual air of life that comes to the resort as autumn arrives is apparent. There seems nothing going on but a constant round of inside pleasures, boating, fishing trips down the Dela-

ware and to the dozens of nearby resorts

W. H. Acken, president of the New-York Rubber Company, and Mr. and Mrs. George Otis, of New-York, are well-known guests at Water Gap House. Colonel T. C. Hoge and family, of Brooklyn, are also old-timers that are again at this house. George Muller and Charles L. Weeks, of New-It can be stated on the authority of a very old hotel man that despite a hard season there are more people here now than for three seasons. The tableaus at the Episcopal Church were successful in an artistic sense and financially. At the Brandon House Mannger Close is very busy looking after a large registry of people. A record is kept each week of the fishing results. Captain Cook, of New-York, and James Dykeman, of Brooklyn, are nawy ahead of all rivals and have neveral the strings to their credit. A swimming race between